

FISCAL NOTE

SB 420 - HB 1348

February 10, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes the Human Rights Commission to file an application in the Chancery Court in Davidson County to seek an order requiring compliance when a person fails to (1) permit access, examination, photographing or copying of records; (2) make, keep, or preserve records; or (3) make reports during an investigation of a complaint of discrimination.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:


Increased State Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- Provides the Human Rights Commission an additional venue to seek an order for compliance in the Chancery Court in Davidson County.
- The Attorney General's Office handles court appearances for the Human Rights Commission and will continue to provide legal services without additional charge.
- To date, there have not been any court appearances necessary seeking an order for compliance; however, they may be needed occasionally in the future.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director